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The Honorable Gregory M. Sleet U. S. District Court for the District of Delaware 844 North King Street Wilmington, DE 19801

> RE: Rohm and Haas Electronic Materials LLC v. Honeywell International Inc., Case No. 06-297-GMS

Dear Judge Sleet:

We write on behalf of Honeywell International Inc. ("Honeywell") in connection with the above-captioned patent infringement litigation. Your Honor will recall that we advised you at the last Scheduling Conference on November 1, 2006, that we intended within thirty days to seek a reexamination of at least one of the two patents that the Plaintiff has asserted in this litigation --U.S. Patent Nos. 6,472,128 B2 and 6,773,864 B1. We have now complied with this representation by filing requests for reexamination of both patents in suit on December 1, 2006.

As discussed at the Conference, we plan to ask Your Honor to stay this litigation pending the outcome of the reexamination proceedings we have asked the PTO to initiate, if the Plaintiff will not agree to a voluntary stay of proceedings. We anticipate that we will promptly file our stay motion after discussing it with Plaintiff's counsel this week.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Constance S. Huttner Constance S. Huttner

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